



## 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time XIX Niedziela zwykła

August 12, 2012

Rite: Deacon Missal

First reading: 1 Kings 19:4-8

Psalm: Ps 34:2-9

**R. Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.**

Epistle: Ephesians 4:30-5:2

Gospel: John 6:41-51

Intention: For all parishioners living and deceased

Worship leader: Rev. Mr. James Konicki

Lector: Marilyn Heitala

- Worship begins at 9:20am with Matins.
- Service of Worship & Holy Communion at 9:30am.
- Blessing of herbs
- Parish Committee Meeting

## 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time XX Niedziela zwykła

August 19, 2012

Rite: Deacon Missal

First reading: Proverbs 9:1-6

Psalm: 34:2-7

**R. Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.**

Epistle: Ephesians 5:15-20

Gospel: John 6:51-58

Intention: For all parishioners living and deceased

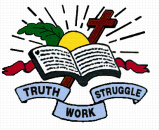
Worship leader: Rev. Mr. James Konicki

Lector: Larry Panfil

- Worship begins at 9:20am with Matins.
- Service of Worship & Holy Communion at 9:30am.

**Sick Calls and Hospital Visits** — Please know that hospitals will not advise parishes when an individual is admitted. Health confidentiality regulations prevent them from doing so. If someone is admitted please let Deacon Jim know so he might visit, pray with them, and bring Jesus' healing presence to them. Parishioners in need of anointing should contact Fr. Mark Gnidzinski at 518-437-1889.

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## Upcoming...

### Month of August

bring in food to help the hungry –  
collection occurring all month. God bless  
your charity.

- August 12th: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- August 15: Solemnity of the Dormition/Assumption of the BVM
- August 19: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- August 24: Feast – St. Bartholomew, Apostle
- August 26: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time, Youth Sunday, Solemnity of Our Lady of Częstochowa
- September 1: Track & Field Meet
- September 2: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- September 3: Labor Day

# I can't do it anymore.

*I have all you need to continue.*

*"This is enough, O LORD!"*

Back at the castle, Jezebel heard how Elijah's God had made hers look foolish. She also heard that her prophets were dead and that Israel had gone back to God. So she sent a little note to Elijah: "May the gods kill me if I don't make you just as dead as my prophets!" She meant it. She had killed before. Elijah suddenly felt very alone. You can just imagine the people backing away from him. The wicked queen had sworn she would get him. Elijah needed a friend. He looked around, but it seemed like the only one standing with him was his personal servant. At such a frightening time in Elijah's life, he needed reassurance, a reason to go on.

Elijah was afraid and ran for his

life. When he came to Beersheba in Judah, he left his servant there, while he himself went a day's journey into the desert. He came to a broom tree, sat down under it and prayed for death.

Many of us have watched the Olympics. We have seen competitors break 34 world records and 67 Olympic record including 28 broken by Americans and 3 by Poles.

Manteo Mitchell of the United States 4x400-meter relay team was running when he felt the pop in his leg. He said, "It felt like somebody literally just snapped my leg in half"

The sprinter had half a lap to go in the first leg of the preliminaries and a choice to make: keep running or stop and lose the race. To him, it was never much of a choice.

He finished the lap and limped to the side to watch his team finish the race and qualify easily for the final. A few hours later, doctors confirmed what he suspected: He had run the last 200 meters with a broken leg.

We aren't often confronted with the threat of being murdered, or having to finish a race with a broken leg, but Jesus knew that we would be confronted by all sorts of challenges, including the one Jesus faced today, lack of faith, doubt, and murmuring. He knew that we all face the challenge of mortality.

Knowing all this, He gave us what we need to continue, to go on, and to have a hope that is more powerful than any challenge.

Jesus is our strength. He is what we need to continue, the Bread that came down from heaven that gives eternal life. With Him and in Him there is nothing to fear, there is all we need to continue. With His strength we can not only finish the race, but finish winning!

*"But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."*

**1 Corinthians 15:57**

## Time to Study God's Word

SUNDAY: 2 Corinthians 1:20

MONDAY: Romans 8:37

TUESDAY: John 16:33

WEDNESDAY: Proverbs 21:31

THURSDAY: 1 John 5:4

FRIDAY: 2 Corinthians 2:14

SATURDAY: Revelation 21:4

### Pray

Lord Jesus, thank You for giving me true victory.

## Thank you

Thank you to Bob Dominy and Pete Battaglia for their work in replacing all of the florescent lights in church, Pete Battaglia and his brother for removing a downed tree in our cemetery, and Bob Dominy, Pete Battaglia and Darryl DePaula for rewiring and moving our carillon. May our Lord bless you for your dedication and work in beautifying His house and serving His people.

## Solemnity of the Dormition

On Wednesday, August 15th we celebrate the Solemnity of the Dormition. According to Holy Tradition Mary spent her life after Pentecost supporting and serving the Church, and lived in the house of the Apostle John in Jerusalem. The Archangel Gabriel had revealed to her that her repose would occur in three days. The apostles, scattered throughout the world were miraculously transported to be at her side when she died. Mary was buried in Gethsemane, according to her request. After three day, the Apostles visiting her grave found her body was gone, leaving a sweet fragrance. An apparition is said to have confirmed that Christ had taken her body to heaven after three days to be reunited with her soul. The key is that we honor and love Mary for her faith example. Let us follow that example but not make of her more than her Son.

## Picnic News and More

**Parish picnic:** At the last parish committee meeting it was determined that we would delay our summer picnic and instead consider having a harvest picnic in September. Stay tuned for more news.

**Track & Field Meet:** The 84th Y.M.S. of R. Track and Field Meet will take place on Saturday, September 1st. Track and field activities will begin at 8:30 AM at the Y.M.S. or R. Park in Minooka, PA and will continue until 9:45 AM followed by Holy Mass at 10 AM Mass at the Grotto. Food and Refreshments will be served following Mass. At 12:30 PM track and field activities will resume until approximately 4:30 PM.

**Consecration of Bishops:** Friday, September 14th at St. Stanislaus Cathedral in Scranton. Please let Deacon Jim know if you would like to attend.

## Of note...

**Coffee Hour:** We are taking a break from our weekly coffee hours for the summer months. Thank you to Ed Bertasso and God bless you for your ministry of hospitality in providing for this time to gather after services every week. You truly help to build the family of God as we gather for physical substance on Sunday morning.

**Parish Organizations:** Did you know that our Parish has

## Praying for...

Janimine Russo, Kay Kaminski, Joseph and Lee Callahan, Tom Caulfield, Debbie Urban, Ann Marie Riley, George Williams, Diane Avellino, Laura Covari, Ellen Carey, Connie Cola, Alice and George Houser, Angela Kaminski, Carol Kosik, Eddy Stutz, Jim Kelly, Phil Haberman, Stanley Radzysinski, Joseph Lyman, Sandy Davis, Erin Smith, Margaret Bondi, Sharon Nasner, Dan, Kym, Maggie and Hannah Bucham, Ray Callanan, Jeannie Christopher, Connie Gigliotti, Joe Avellino, Jan Shufelt, Deanna Colfels, Cathy France, Patty Martel-Baum, Rick Rodino, Judy Springer, Deb Couns, Judy Palmer, Ed Jakubiak, Rick Kaminski, Luke Sobiechowski, Mark McCarthy, Bonnie Nelson, Rosemary Ragule, Lisa Caporizzo, Joseph Peplowski, Kelly Noble, Judy Held, Stefan Węglinski, Janet Spurck, Joannie True, Robert Dominy, Patricia Lewis, Peter Loss, Wayne Balnis, Louie Perkinson, Laurie Speech, John Humme, Gary Wilkinson, Jakub Kozina, Claudia Bertasso, John Clas, Prime Bishop Emeritus Robert Nemkovich, George Damouni, Kindlon Family

- All in need of God's healing grace.
- All those who serve in the Armed Forces of the United States.
- All those in Public Service, Police Officers and Fire Fighters.
- All Active And Retired Clergy of the Holy Polish National Catholic Church.
- All who have asked for our prayers.

We continue in prayer and intercession for one of the parishes or ministries in our Holy Polish National Catholic Church. This week we remember: St. Joseph's Parish, Brandon, Manitoba, Canada, its congregation and pastor Fr. Jerzy Urbanski.

Bless them, O Lord!  
Pobłogosław im, O Boże!

many organizations that need you? God calls us to work together for the good of our community, in support of each other, and for the needs of the Church. The YMSofR - Men's Society of the Resurrection Branch 56, ANS - Women's Adoration Society, Choir, Parish Committee, and a hopefully reconstituted branch of the PNU (Spójnia) all need your help. See Deacon Jim.

**Serendipity Calendar:** What a fun way to support the parish and potentially WIN! The Serendipity Calendar allows you to choose one or more numbers between 001 and 999. If your number is drawn in the day's NYS Lottery Daily Numbers game, you win. The cost for each number chance is \$20.